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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): CHAFFEE, et al

Serial No.: 09/993,493

Filed: November 27, 2001

For: SYSTEM CONTROLLING EXCLUSIVE ACCESS BY CONTROL
PROGRAMS TO SYSTEM RESOURCES

Attention: APPLICATION DIVISION

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Washington, D.C. 20231

February 13, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of
Nonprovisional Application dated January 3, 2001, in
connection with the above-identified application, attached
hereto is an executed Declaration for Patent Application in
compliance with 37 CFR 1.63. In addition, a payment in the
amount of \$130.00 to cover the required surcharge for filing
the declaration is also attached, in accordance with 37 CFR
1.16.

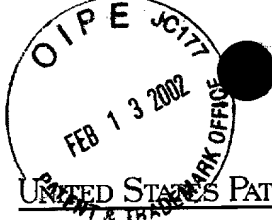
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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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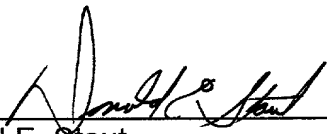
Assistant Commissioner
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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith six (6) new sheets of Formal Drawings (non-bristol boards) showing Figs. 1-6 in the above-identified application in compliance with the provisions of Rule 84. Figs. 1-6 have been corrected in accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts requirement mailed January 3, 2002.

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